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MEDIA RELEASE

The Traffic Enforcement Section is investigating a Serious Motor Vehicle Collision that occurred on Saturday, January 11, 2003 at approx. 12:30 AM, that sent two people to Shock Trauma. The two vehicle collision occurred on Dobbin Road near McGaw Road, when a Chevrolet Camaro crossed the double yellow line and struck a street sweeper.

The Chevrolet Camaro was traveling southbound on Dobbin Road at a high rate of speed when the driver applied the brakes and skidded across the double yellow line. The Camaro struck the northbound Isuzu NPR Street Sweeper at the left front and the Camaro came to rest in the middle of the roadway.

The driver of the Camaro was identified as Jason Wallace 23 years old of the 9500 blk Donnan Castle Way Laurel Howard County Maryland. He was flown to the University of Maryland, Shock Trauma and is listed in Critical but Stable condition. A passenger in the Camaro was identified as Daniel Booker 20 years old who resides in Catonsville is listed in Serious but Stable condition at Shock Trauma.

The Street Sweeper is owned by Environmental Properties of Ellicott City. The driver, Dolores Cuman 55 years old was taken to Howard County General Hospital to be treated for his minor injuries. His passenger, Antonio Mardines 27 years old was also taken to Howard County General Hospital for minor injuries.

Preliminarily the collision is Speed related. The continuing investigation is being completed by Corporal Christopher Neubauer.

